GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Servants - Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department – Allegations of certain irregularities in execution of CPWS Schemes in Warangal District against Sri M.Pochaiah, the then Dy. Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Warangal District – Departmental proceedings initiated under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Article of Charges – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1805

Dated:19.11.2013

Read:

ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an inquiry against Sri M.Pochaiah, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Warangal District in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

- 2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which and list of witnesses, by whom, the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-II and III).
- **3.** Sri M.Pochaiah, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S of Warangal District, is directed to submit within ten (10) days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defence.
- **4.** Sri M.Pochaiah, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S of Warangal District is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.
- **5.** Sri M.Pochaiah, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S of Warangal District is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 or the order/directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiry Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte, based on the material available on record.
- **6.** Attention of Sri M.Pochaiah, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S of Warangal District, is invited to Rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with these proceedings it will be presumed that he is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of this G.O. shall be acknowledged forthwith.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

VIKAS RAJ SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (RWS&S)

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Sri M.Pochaiah, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S of Warangal District through the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Hyderabad.

(with a request to serve and return the acknowledged copy and W.S.D.)

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ANNEXURE-I

STATEMENT SHOWING THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M.POCHAIAH, THE THEN DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S, WARANGAL DISTRICT, NOW IN PR DEPARTMENT

Charge:1

That Sri M.Pochaiah, the then Dy. Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Warangal District has failed to take necessary action to complete the execution of CPWS Scheme, Parkal and other habitations even after 5 years.

Basis:

As per the Lr.No.AEE1/DEEIII/1151/irregularities of Schemes, Warangal/V&QC/RWS&S, dt.06.05.2013, the CE, Vig.&QC reported that the CPWS Scheme Parkal was sanctioned in the year 2006-07. Even after lapse of 5 years the scheme could not be completed in full shape for want of water drawal permission which is still pending and therefore water is not released to the designed habitations. Sri M.Pochaiah, the then Dy. Executive Engineer, has therefore failed to execute the work within the stipulated time due to which drinking water could not be supplied to the designed habitations. Being a subdivisional head he had to take steps for early completion of the scheme. But he failed to do so. Thus, he failed to discharge his legitimate duties. From this it is evident that he has exhibited Gross Negligence towards his Legitimate Duties and failed in Supervision and violated Rule (3) of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Hence the charge.

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ANNEXURE-II

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M.POCHAIAH, THE THEN DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S, WARANGAL DISTRICT, NOW IN PR DEPARTMENT ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

1. Lr. No.AEE1/DEEIII/1151/irregularities of Schemes, Warangal/ V&QC/ RWS&S, dt.06.05.2013, Chief Engineer, V&QC., Hyderabad.

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ANNEXURE-III

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M.POCHAIAH, THE THEN DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S, WARANGAL DISTRICT, NOW IN PR DEPARTMENT ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

-NIL-

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